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Dear Sir:

With respect to the Restriction Requirement mailed on 08/03/2005, the Examiner has restricted the instant application to the invention of Group A (Claims 1-14), or Group B (Claims 15-20). In light of this, Applicants elect to pursue Group A, (Claims 1-14) without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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